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A Congressman's seat is not always easy though it be softly cushioned.

The State of Kansas is of age to-day, having been admitted into the Union on the 29th of January, 1861.

The City Auditor of Newark, New Jersey, stole just a quarter of a million dollars. The amount is large enough to make him so respectable a thief as to insure his escape from the prison.

Henry Ward Beecher said a sharp thing when speaking of the Gaithe case: "I think the man who received an inspiration from heaven, will also have a line dropped to him from the same direction."

The Democrats in the New York Legislature keep on disagreeing and refuse to allow the Legislature to be organized although it has been in session one month. Democratic stupidity will always creep out.

The pension of Mrs. Lincoln has at last been settled, and she gets \$15,000 back pension and \$5,000 a year during her life. It was very singular, but altogether right, that there was not a vote nor a voice against the proposition.

Senator Hays' recent dinner to Mr. Justice Gray, of the Supreme Court, cost \$1,000.

President Arthur will give a series of state dinners this winter, the first in about two weeks. The cost of these dinners will be from \$500 to \$1,000 each. During Grant's administration his state dinners each cost from \$500 to \$700.

There are twelve well-known candidates in Ohio for the Presidency in 1884. Hardly any one else outside of that State will presume to enter the race. The Republicans have Charles Foster, John Sherman, J. Warren Keifer, Ezra B. Taylor, Edward F. Noyes, Rutherford B. Hayes. The Democrats have George Hoadly, George H. Pendleton, William S. Groesbeck, Henry B. Payne, Allen G. Thurman, Hugh J. Hewitt.

There will be an attempt made this winter to enact a law limiting the practice of pharmacy in this State, and accordingly the legislative committee of the Wisconsin Pharmaceutical bill, which was in session at Madison a week ago, has prepared a bill which has been introduced in the Senate. It gives, as its object, the protection of the people against injury and accident on account of incompetent druggists. It provides for licensing those who, by experience or study, have fitted themselves for the business of druggist and pharmacist, and provides for examination by a board appointed for that purpose. Exceptions are made in favor of small country towns and as regards those now engaged in the business, so that no hardship can come to any one by its passage.

A strong effort is being made to secure the appointment of President A. L. Chapin, of Beloit college, to some foreign mission. We believe he has expressed a preference for the China mission, and there is no doubt that he will receive that or some other important foreign appointment. Dr. Chapin is one of the most accomplished scholars in the West, and is one of the oldest college presidents, in point of service, in the United States. If strong manhood, ripe scholarship, an untarnished reputation, and a life devoted to the education of young men, should be recognized by the government in selecting persons for the diplomatic service, Dr. Chapin should stand at the head of the list. Among the petitions which have been gotten up urging his appointment, is one which has been almost unanimously signed by the members of the Legislature.

THE CHRONIC INSANE.
There seems to be an alarming increase of insanity, not in other States, but in Wisconsin. The two State asylums are full—are even crowded—and a thousand more are scattered among the poor houses and jails where care and treatment do not meet the demands of the case. The county system recently adopted makes provision for a large number who would otherwise be destitute of any sort of attention, but all counties are not yet provided with these asylums, and some of those that have, them are full and are wanting more room.

What to do with the chronic insane is one of the great questions of the day. Resolutions coming from county boards are piling in upon the Legislature, asking for more room, and accordingly one bill has been introduced appropriating \$150,000 for the building of a third insane asylum at La Crosse. The county board of Monroe resolve that after carefully considering and investigating the matter, it is their opinion that there is "an imperative necessity for better and more adequate provision for the care and treatment of chronic insane, and in order to secure humane and scientific treatment toward those unfortunate fellow beings who are bereft of reason, and thus dependent upon the community at large, it is in every respect expedient and desirable that, as the existing burdens imposed upon the local county governments or authorities by reason of the numerous cases of chronic insane requiring treatment and care, cannot now be honorably, faithfully, economically or efficiently met, and it is discharged, it is the imperative duty of the State of Wisconsin to make proper and adequate provision for the chronic insane by the immediate erection of an additional asylum in which these unfortunate fellow creatures may be treated in accordance with their needs, and in accordance with the dictates of common humanity."

There is no class of persons under the charge of the State who are more difficult to manage than the insane. They are, of all persons, the most to be pitied. Their treatment requires more skill, and their general care and attention more expense; than either the blind or the deaf and dumb. When one's reason is dethroned—his mind a total wreck—he merits the profoundest sympathy, not only of private individuals, but of the State; and it is hoped that Wisconsin will not forget its duty toward this large class of the most unfortunate of all the unfortunate.

THE COMMOTION AT MADISON.
It is not often that Madison gets excited. It was thought nothing could disturb its equilibrium but the discussion of the biennial session question; but the postoffice has really upset the town and turned the heads of the people. The weather never took a more sudden change than did the postoffice matter at our sister city, and now there threatens to be war, and the scene of excitement has been transferred from the Superior road to the city of Madison. When the news came that General George E. Bryant had been recommended by Mr. Caswell for postmaster, it was thought to be a happy solution of the vexed question, as the city was divided between the two candidates, and General Bryant was not only a popular man but a worthy gentleman in all respects. But following close on the heels of the dispatch announcing the recommendation of General Bryant is this in the State Journal by an indignant citizen:

What does Mr. Caswell mean by calling on us to express our choice for postmaster, and then recommending one that nobody endorsed? What does Mr. Caswell mean by misrepresenting the manifest wishes of a tremendous majority of his constituents? What does Mr. Caswell mean by going outside of the city of Madison to find a postmaster for the city? What does Mr. Caswell mean by this gross insult and slap in the face to every citizen of Madison? What does Mr. Caswell mean by recommending another man for the postoffice, who was obnoxious to the same objection that was made use of to defeat Colonel Keyes? But we judge this doesn't express the general spirit of the people of Madison. But the State Journal, which never—hardly ever—gets mad, can not stop press its contempt for the course Mr. Caswell has taken. It pretends to be humiliated because the Congressman went out in the country two or three miles to find a postmaster, when there were so many willing ones in the city. To be sure General Bryant will make a good postmaster. He is one of the best men in Dane county, although he has not lived in the city of Madison for more than twenty years.

In this matter, Madison should learn of Janesville, and keep cool, and not allow trivial things to shake up the town and destroy its peace. Once this city went into the country for a postmaster, and like Madison has done in this case, got a good one, and there was no indignation and no charges of insults, or anything of the sort.

When the excitement is allayed at Madison, the people will feel proud of their new postmaster. He is a solid man, a man without a blemish—thoroughly good in all respects, and will honor the position he has been called to fill.

WILLIAM'S REPORTS.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The House Committee on Foreign Affairs decided today to make a special effort to have the bill to restore the Japanese indemnity fund to Japan. The money has never been covered into the Treasury, being held in trust by the Department of State where it was stopped by Secretary Seward, who declared that we had no right to it. It is not believed that there will be much opposition to the measure, provided action can be secured upon it. Mr. Williams presented an elaborate report upon the matter to-day, recommending its restoration, which was adopted. He was authorized to report the bill to the House and ask consideration, by unanimous consent, the first opportunity.

PERSONAL NOTES.
A Kansas City paper tells the story that in Kansas there are seven school superintendents, twenty ministers, twenty-six physicians, four lawyers, and three editors of the feminine sex. This may be true, although the Kansas City Times tells it.

Mr. C. H. McCormick, of reaper fame, has not yet stopped his benefactions to Presbyterian colleges. He recently gave \$50,000 to the Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Chicago. That makes \$200,000 to one seminary.

The scarf of old Spanish lace worn by Mlle. Hank in the last act of "Carmen" is several hundred years old, and was presented to her by the Empress of Germany.

Meissonier, the great French painter, is growing immensely rich. He not only gets all the way from \$30,000 to \$50,000 for a single painting which cost only a few months labor, but he will get \$15,000 for painting a miniature of Mrs. J. W. Mackay. It will take him only a week to do this portrait.

A Greek died the other day in New York, at the Emigrants' hospital, and a Protestant refused to read a burial service over the body, and a Catholic priest, who was called upon by the authorities, also declined, on the ground that the Greek Church was distinct from that of Rome. The man was finally buried in Protestant bury-ground, without any religious ceremony.

When Webster's birthday was celebrated a few days ago, there were many amusing anecdotes told of him. Among them is that a Quaker, from Nantucket, once objected because Mr. Webster asked him \$1,000 to go to the island to argue a case. "I would as soon argue the whole docket," said Mr. Webster, who did not wish the long trip. The friend said that he would give the great lawyer \$1,000 if he would argue such cases as he should present before his own case was called. When Mr. Webster got to Nantucket he found that the friend was at the foot of the docket, and that he was expected to argue the whole docket through. He did so and

received his \$1,000, but his client, who had "farmed" him out, cleared \$1,500, besides winning his case.

That well known benefactor—Enoch Platt the banker, of Baltimore, gave one million dollars for the People's circulating library. He was once a very poor Massachusetts boy, but went to Baltimore many years ago, and Fortune never deserted him.

Mr. Luther Alden was born at Jaffrey, New Hampshire, on the 9th of January, 1782, and celebrated his 100th birthday in good spirits at his home at South Wallingford, Vermont. It is said of him that last fall he husked fifty bushels of corn, and handled thirty cords of wood. He has been married twice, and has over seventy living descendants, including some great-grand-children. His mother lived 100 years.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Senate Pass Sherman's Funding Bill By a Vote of 38 to 27.

Congressman Williams' Report Upon the Japanese Indemnity Fund.

The Retirement of Justice Hunt of the Supreme Court.

The Execution of John A. Morris and August Davis, for Murder.

A Shipment of Florida Strawberries for the West.

Other Interesting State and Miscellaneous News Items.

GREAT EXPLOSION.

New York, January 27.—The vicinity of Ninety-ninth street and Second avenue was startled about two o'clock this afternoon by a most terrific explosion. It was heard in fact several blocks away in all directions. It proved, however, to be on a dump, near the corner of Ninety-ninth street and Second avenue. With the exception of a few tumble-down shanties on this corner there are no buildings on this block, nor on the opposite blocks, except on Third avenue corner. The street is made up of filled earth, and the vacant lots on both sides are sunk deep below the level of the cross the cross thoroughfares. From pieces of wood found among the ash a small bonfire had been built, around which now and then the children gathered to warm their fingers. Suddenly there was an explosion, as if a bombshell had fallen in their midst. Flying ashes, embers, and pieces of wood filled the air, and coupled with the almost deafening sound could be heard the wildest shrieks. It seemed that a frightful disaster had occurred. Those witnessing it did not believe it possible that any one in the immediate vicinity could have escaped with their lives. A human form was seen to be tossed in the air, and the third of its descent was heard by many. One person was fatally injured, and a large number were badly hurt.

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I escaped from the Toils.
John Bacon, La Porte, Indiana, writes: "Hurrah for SPRING BLOSSOM; it's all you recommended it to be. My dyspepsia has all vanished. Why don't you advertise it? What allowance will you make if I take a dozen bottles, so that I could oblige my friends occasionally?" Price 50 cents, trial bottles 10 cents. Sold by A. J. Roberts and Sherer & Co.

SHERMAN'S FUNDING BILL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Sherman's 3 per cent bond bill was passed in the Senate today by a vote of 38 to 26, with the amendment made by Mr. Davis, of West Virginia, of striking out the exact date for payment and making the bonds payable at any time. Mr. Sherman's amendment to make the bonds redeemable at the pleasure of the government after Jan. 1, 1887, was lost by a vote of 25 to 36.

THE GALLOWES.

RALEIGH, N. C., January 27.—John A. Morris (colored) was executed at Shelby, N. C., today in the presence of 4,000 people, for the murder of Joe Roark (colored) on the streets of Shelby, on the night of August 10, 1880. The murder was committed in revenge of the murdered man testifying falsely against Morris in a larceny case. In his confession several others are implicated.

NEW ORLEANS, La., January 27.—August Davis (colored) was hanged at the parish prison for the indecent assault upon a white woman in the 'suburbs' of this city on the 25th of October.

Davis asserted to the last that he was innocent of the crime for which he was to die, but he was not sorry to go.

Avoid a galloping consumption by the timely use of HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND and TAR. PRICE'S TOOTHACHE DROPS cure in one minute.

FRESH STRAWBERRIES.

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 27.—To-day Jacksonville, Fla., shippers will begin shipping strawberries to the North. The berries are plenty in the Florida markets.

SEE HERE.

You are sick; well, there is just one remedy that will cure you beyond possibility of doubt. If it's Liver or Kidney trouble, Consumption, Dyspepsia, Debility, Wells' Health Renewer is your hope. \$1. Druggists, Depot, Prentice & Evenon, Janesville.

FLIES A MOSQUITOES.
A 15c. box of "Rough on Rats" will keep a house free from flies, mosquitoes, rats, and mice, the entire season. Druggists.

POOR JENNIE.

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 27.—The body of Jennie Cramer was exhumed to-day for further analysis.

A pure, wholesome distillation of witch hazel, American pine, Canada fir, marigold, clover blossoms, etc., fragrant with the healing essences of balsam and pine. Such is Sanford's Radical Cure for Catarrh. Complete treatment for \$1.

Death to rats, mice, roaches and ants; PARSONS' EXTERMINATOR. Burns, granaries, and households cleared in a single night. No fear of bad smells. Best and cheapest vermin killer in the world. Sold everywhere.

THE SUPERIOR TROUBLE.

ST. PAUL, January 27.—The committee sent to Madison to endeavor to secure relief through the Legislature for the failure of the Chicago, Portage & Superior company, returned to-day and report a very favorable reception by both the Governor and members of the Legislature, and feel sanguine of some relief being secured. Erickson, the contractor, whose men are unpaid, had advised to-day from his wife, who is still upon the ground where the men are congregated, that all is quiet and no violence is apprehended. At Duluth a great many of the men are congregated also, but they are drifting away to other work and a riot is not anticipated.

STRANGLED TO DEATH.

WATERTOWN, Jan. 27.—The body of Mrs. Thomas Boyle, of Lowell, found dead in her room two weeks ago, was exhumed and a second inquest held over the remains last night. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of death by strangulation, and pointed to the husband as the probable perpetrator of the crime. Boyle's bail is placed at \$10,000.

HUNT'S RETIREMENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The President this afternoon signed the bill placing Justice Hunt, of the Supreme court, on the retired list. It is not known who will succeed him, but it can be officially announced that Secretary Folger will not. (The report most current is that the vacancy caused by the retirement of Judge Hunt will be tendered to Senator Edmunds.)

A Baptist Minister's Experience.

I am a Baptist Minister, and before I even thought of being a clergyman, I graduated in medicine, but left a lucrative practice for my present profession, 40 years ago. I was for many years a sufferer from quinsy, "Thomas' Electric Oil" cured me. I was also troubled with hoarseness, and Thomas' Electric Oil always relieved me. My wife and child had diphtheria, and "Thomas' Electric Oil" cured them, and if taken in time it will cure seven times out of ten. I am confident it is a cure for the most obstinate cold or cough, and if any one will take a small teaspoon and half fill it with the Oil, and then place the end of the spoon in one nostril and draw the Oil out of the spoon into the head by sniffing as hard as they can, until the Oil flows over into the throat, and practice that twice a week, I don't care how offensive their head may be, it will clean it out and cure their catarrh. For deafness and earache it has done wonders to my certain knowledge. It is the only medicine I have ever felt like recommending, and I am very anxious to see it in every place, for I tell you that I would not be without it in my house for any consideration. I am now suffering with a pain like rheumatism in my right limb, and nothing relieves me like Thomas' Electric Oil. DR. E. F. CRANE, Corry, Pa.

Sold by A. J. Roberts, and Sherer & Co.

SEND for circular of new style of Floppin Seal with Leveling attachment Borden, Sellick & Co., Chicago.

APPORTIONMENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—It is believed that the apportionment bill agreed to today for 320 members, will pass. Rhode Island, California, and Florida lose one, but the Republicans are satisfied because the loss is made up by gains in New York, Pennsylvania, and Iowa. The number was increased from 319 to 320 through the persistence of Congressman Sherwin, who insisted on giving Illinois twenty-one instead of twenty members.

Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription" is a most powerful restorative tonic, also combining the most valuable nerve properties, especially adapted to the wants of debilitated ladies suffering from weak back, inward fever, congestion, inflammation, or ulceration, or from nervous or neuralgic pains. By druggists.

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Seal Garments will probably never again be sold at such LOW PRICES, and those wishing to take advantage of this sale should call at once before the assortment is broken.

T. A. Chapman & Co.,
MILWAUKEE.

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Wheelock's Crockery Store.

Making Many New and Valuable Additions.

To the stock. Among the latest is several new patterns of English print, ware that is so rapidly increasing in favor. Minton's Copeland's, Wedgwood's, Boots', Dimmock's and Brownfield's elegant goods in very low prices; over 50 sets 10 and 12 pieces each, of Decorated Chamber ware, from \$3 up, now spread on our long tables; new pieces in Majolica Ware, Parian Statuary, Rogers' best groups, Vases, Cologne Sets, Gift Cups and Saucers, Dolls, &c, new Lamps, Bird Cages, 5 kinds Carpet Sweepers, Crystal, Handle Cutlery, new pieces in Silverware and Glassware, Job lots of English Stone China, Coffee Cups and Saucers, 10 cents set; Sauce Plates, 36c per dozen; Pie and Tea Plates, 50c per doz.; Soup Plates, 50c per dozen; another lot of Le Bustle Lamp Chimneys received.

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FROM \$100 TO \$500

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